

A Middlesex Water Company Affiliate

December 23, 2014

Alisa Bentley, Secretary Public Service Commission 861 Silver Lake Boulevard Cannon Building, Suite 100 Dover, DE 19904

RE: Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") for Overbrook Acres – Docket No. 14-0494, Affidavits of Publication

Dear Secretary:

Attached are the affidavits of publication for the Overbrook Acres CPCN application, Docket No. 14-0494.

If you should require any additional information please feel free to contact me at (302) 747-1325.

Sincerely,

Kirsten Higgins

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Director, Water Planning & Development

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Before me, a Notary Public, for the County and State aforesaid. Edward Dulin, known to me to be such, who being sworn according to law deposed and says that he is President of Independent Newsmedia Inc. USA, the publisher of the **Delaware State News**, a daily newspaper published at Dover, County of Kent, and State of Delaware, and that the notice, a copy of which is hereto attached, as published in the **Delaware State News** in its issue of 12/22/14.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd Day of December, A.D., 2014



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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF TIDEWATER UTILITIES, INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE WATER SERVICES PURSUANT TO 26 DEL. C. §203C (FILED OCTOBER 28, 2014)

PSC DOCKET 14-0494 ("Overbrook Acres")

On October 28, 2014, Tidewater Utilities, Inc., filed an application with the Delaware Public Service Commission ("PSC") for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") to provide water services to (1) Sussex County Tax Parcel Numbers 235-23.00-1.00 located at individual parcel located on the northeast side of the intersection of Cave Neck Road and Coastal Highway. The basis for the application is Tidewater Utilities, Inc. possession of petitions requesting water services signed by all of the landowners in the proposed service area as set forth in 26 Del. C. §203C(e)(1)b.

The PSC is investigating this matter to the extent deemed necessary to determine whether the CPCN should be granted. An evidentiary hearing on this application will not be held unless there is a meritorious request received within thirty (30) days of publication of this notice. A meritorious request is deemed to be one which sets forth reasonable grounds why a public hearing would be appropriate or would be in the public interest.

Pursuant to current law, property owners within the proposed CPCN service area may file an objection to the issuance of a CPCN to Tidewater Utilities, Inc. and may also choose to "opt-out" of inclusion in the proposed service area. Written notice of such objection or a decision to "opt-out" of inclusion in the proposed service area must be sent to the Delaware Public Service Commission at the following address within thirty (30) days after publication of this notice.

The Commission's mailing address is:
Public Service Commission
861 Silver Lake Blvd., Cannon Bldg.
Suite 100, Dover, DE 19904
Attention: PSC Docket No. 14-0494 – Overbrook Acres

Copies of Tidewater Utilities, Inc. application in this matter are available for public inspection at the Commission's Dover office at the address noted above during normal business hours, or from the Commission's website at http://depsc.delaware.gov/cpcn/cpcnindex.shtml.

Any individual with a disability, who wishes to participate in these proceedings, or to review the application, should contact the Commission to discuss any auxiliary aids or services needed to facilitate such review or participation. Such contact may be in person, by writing, telephonically, by use of the Telecommunications Relay Service, or otherwise. Persons with questions concerning this matter may contact the Commission at its toll-free number (within Delaware) 1-800-282-8574, by Text Telephone ("TT"), by regular telephone at (302) 736-7500, or by e-mail to kevin.neilson@state.de.us. 38037 DSN 12/22/2014



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AFFIDAVIT OF GENERAL COMPLIANCE

I, <u>Bruce P</u> states as follows:	Patrick ("Affiant"), being duly sworn or affirmed according to law, deposes and
	e/she is the <u>General Manager</u> (title or office held) of <u>Tidewater Environmental</u> me of the applicant);
2. Th	nat he/she is authorized to and does make this affidavit for said applicant;
3. Thunder penalty of j	nat the applicant herein certifies to the Public Service Commission ("PSC") perjury that:
	The applicant agrees to comply with and be subject to the jurisdiction of rate of Delaware for the purposes set forth in 26 <i>Del. C.</i> §§ 114(b) and (c), and 217 and any other applicable Delaware Code sections and Regulations.
	The Affiant further certifies that he/she has personally examined and is information contained in the foregoing application, including any attachments and further certifies that such information is true, correct, and complete. But C. Ethal
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State of Delawar	
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	Kattlein Shuld Knesho (SEAL) Signature of Notarial Official

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(Title and rank)

My commission expires: July 21, 2018